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IS AN ODD MONTH

DECEMBER HAS RESEMBLED ALMOST EVERY KIND OF DAY.

ABOVE AND BELOW ZERO

There Have Been Days of Summer Warmth And Days of North Pole Coldness.

With only three more days left of the month of December, it bids fair to be the freak of months for the year 1916, so far as weather is concerned. During the twenty-eight days that have already passed we have had sunshine, rain, thunder, lightning, snow, weather above zero and weather below zero. We have had days of summer temperature and days of North Pole coldness. In fact, it is a wonder to the average man that one small month could carry so many variations in temperatures.

For the benefit of those who love to talk about the weather in lieu of more interesting subjects the following is presented:

December 1, fine and warm; December 2, sunny, ½ day, cloudy ½ day; cooler; December 3, clear and fine; December 4, warm, partly cloudy and partly clear; December 5, fine and warm with flying clouds; December 6, warm, partly clear and partly cloudy; December 7, partly clear and partly cloudy, cooler; December 8, sunshine, partly cloudy, cooler; December 9, sunshine all day, a few flying clouds; December 10, cloudy most of the day, a light snow; December 11, snow in the morning, cleared cold; December 12, snow off and on all day, but fall very light, cold; December 13, cold, four degrees below zero; December 14, colder, five degrees below zero; December 15, fine and warm; December 16, sunny in the morning and cloudy in the afternoon; December 17, snow nearly all day, very light; December 18, cloudy and cool; December 19, cold and cloudy, fine snow most of the day; December 20, cold, seven degrees below zero, light snow in the morning; December 21, coldest day, sixteen below zero, clear; December 22, partly cloudy and partly clear; December 23, partly cloudy and partly clear; December 24, snow in the night, beautiful day; December 25, temperature forty degrees above zero, cloudy, rain in the evening with lightning and thunder; December 26, cloudy, rain in the night; December 27, bright, sunshiny day.

HOLD JOINT INSTALLATION

Newly Elected Officers of the Masonic Lodges Were Installed Last Night.

Nodaway Lodge No. 470 and Maryville Lodge No. 165, A. F. & A. M. held a joint installation of officers at the Masonic hall last night. Joseph Reece, district deputy grand master, assisted by C. C. Hellmers, installed the newly elected officers.

The officers of Nodaway Lodge No. 470 are: W. H. Gilbert, W. M.; F. R. Marcell, S. W.; Walter S. Todd, J. W.; L. P. Colvin, secretary; E. E. Williams, treasurer; A. L. Nash, S. D.; R. A. Strawbridge, J. D.; W. H. Charlton, S. S.

The officers of Maryville Lodge No. 165 are: Fred Smith, W. M.; James Smith, S. W.; George Mulholland, J. W.; Fred French, secretary; George B. Baker, treasurer; Dennis Jones, S. D.; C. W. Hildreth, J. D.

Lahrs Leave for Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Lahr of North Mulberry street, left today for Larimor, Ia., where they will make their home. Mr. Lahr will engage in the produce business in Iowa.

Miss Dunn Here.

Miss Helen Dunn of Bolckow was the guest of Mrs. W. C. Frank last night. Miss Dunn was on her way to Chillicothe to attend a house party.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Fern Tonight—

'Unhand Me, Villain"
An L-Ko 2-reel comedy featuring Alice Howell, the funniest actress.

"A Knight of the Night"
A one-reel drama
King Baggott in
"The Silent Stranger" and "The Sea Lily"—A Big U production.

5 and 10c **5 and 10c**

WANT 4TH REGIMENT BACK

Columbia and Kirksville Still Making Efforts for the Release of Home Boys.

Kirksville and Columbia are still making efforts to obtain the release of the Fourth Regiment from border duty in which it has been engaged for the past six months. Several Maryville boys are members of the Fourth Regiment, being with the regimental band.

Mayor Batterson of Columbia has received a letter from Senator James A. Reed, saying that he would do and was doing all in his power to obtain the release of the Fourth. Senator Reed, Speaker Champ Clark and several members of congress have been appealed to.

At Kirksville, a number of the women relatives of the members of the Fourth, are circulating petitions in every town which furnished a company to the regiment, and these petitions will be sent to Major General Funston, pointing out that the Fourth regiment has more than done its duty, as compared with the National Guards from other states.

Mayor Batterson of Columbia says he doesn't hope for the company's release for some time. "Some companies had to be kept on the border, I guess," he said, "and it just happened that ours was one."

PATIENTS ARE IMPROVING

Mrs. J. C. Curfman and Granddaughter Operated on This Week Are Resting Easily.

Mrs. J. C. Curfman, who underwent an operation for appendicitis Wednesday afternoon at St. Francis hospital, is resting easily today. Mrs. Curfman's granddaughter, Mary Ruth Curfman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Curfman, who was operated on Tuesday night for the same disease, is improving.

Dr. George Curfman of Salida, Colo., arrived yesterday noon, and Roy J. Curfman and daughter, Virginia, who have been visiting Rev. and Mrs. Joel B. Hayden and Mrs. F. M. Petty in Baltimore, Md., came this morning on account of their mothers illness.

UNCLE GEORGE KINMAN DIES

Elmo Man Succumbs to Old Age, After An Illness of Several Months—Funeral Tomorrow.

Uncle George Kinman died at his home in Elmo at 2 o'clock this morning after an illness which began about the first of September. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the South Methodist church, with interment in the Odd Fellows' cemetery, west of Elmo.

Uncle George was 82 years old, having been born in Boone county, Ill., October 29, 1834. He is survived by a wife and five children; Robert D. William Franklin, Charles Harvey, Mrs. Mary Brady, and Mrs. Otis McCurdy.

REV. WILES TO FOREST CITY

Will Attend Meeting of Pastors And Workers of Baptist Churches of This District.

The Rev. T. H. Wiles of the Baptist church will leave tomorrow for Forrest City to attend a meeting of the pastors and workers of the Baptist churches of this district. Mr. Wiles is on the program for an address for Saturday. Charles Hyslop, Dave Ferris, I. E. Tebow and Ed. Brewer will leave Saturday to attend the meeting at Forrest City and are on the program for a men's mass meeting to be held Sunday afternoon.

LAST SESSION OF PRESENT COURT

Several Routine Matters and Unfinished Business Will Be Considered by County Court.

A session of the county court will be held tomorrow and Saturday to take up several unfinished matters, and this will be the last session for Judges E. T. Bailey and Matt Farnan, whose terms expire January 1. Judge Farnan wil be succeeded by Judge C. P. Schmidt and Judge Bailey by Judge George Hepburn. Presiding Judge W. M. Blackford holds over for two years.

The new court will hold their first session next Monday.

Ellermans Return to Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellerman and children have returned to Clyde from Coal Springs, S. D., and will live on their former farm.

William Hook and daughter of Bedford, Ia., were in Maryville on business today.

BRAILA IS CAPTURED

RICH GRAIN AND OIL REGION IN THE HANDS OF GERMANS.

BRINGS DOWN 25 AIRSHIPS

Lieut. Guynemer Of The French Air Service Distinguishes Himself In Air Service.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, Dec. 28.—Mackensen's Austro-German army that captured Rimnik is pushing on towards Fokshadi on the boundary of the province of Moldavia. Dispatches from the Roumanian front indicated that the Roumanian stronghold, Braila, in the heart of the rich soil and grain district, had been captured by the army of the Danube.

The Russians are holding out well in Wallachia. The Germans captured more than ten thousand prisoners during the last week.

Brings Down 25th Aeroplane.

Paris, Dec. 28.—Lieut. Guynemer of the French air service has brought down his twenty-fifth aeroplane, the war office announced. Light German attacks delivered during the night on the Somme front and Eastern Verdun front were repulsed.

LIGHTNING STRIKES HOUSE

Electrical Storm Tuesday Morning Causes Damage At Farm Home of Will Van Atta of Hopkins.

During the rain and electrical storm, the farm home of Will Van-Atta, on the old Alex Townsend farm, now owned by Willard Smith, was struck by lightning in two places at about 4 o'clock Tuesday morning. One bolt struck down stairs, tearing the telephone to pieces and the other one struck upstairs tearing off shingles and setting the house on fire on the outside but the flames gained no headway on account of the heavy downpour of rain, soon being extinguished. Mr. Van Atta and two little boys occupied one bed upstairs while his wife and little daughter occupied another in the same room. The lightning literally tore to pieces the bed occupied by Mr. Van Atta and the two boys, even setting the bedding on fire and it seems almost a miracle that the entire family was not killed but all escaped without the slightest injury except Mrs. Van Atta whose head was slightly cut by flying glass, eight large windows in the home being shattered. Lightning also struck a telephone pole near the house, demolishing it. The bolt doing the most damage to the house struck within a few feet of a lightning rod.—Hopkins Journal.

IN THE NEW LEGISLATURE

Lawyers and Farmers Will Predominate in Forty-ninth General Assembly of Missouri.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 28.—Lawyers and farmers will predominate in the Forty-ninth General Assembly of Missouri. In the Senate there will be sixteen lawyers and six farmers, a druggist a physician, a jeweler, two real estate men, an insurance man, a mail clerk and a plaster contractor.

Senator Michael Kinney of St. Louis is listed as "Real Estate and Lawyer," and his Democratic colleague, Senator Joseph H. Brogan, as "Mailing Clerk." They were listed the same way the last session.

In the lower branch the farmers will outnumber the lawyers, 52 to 31. Representative J. Allen Prewitt of Kansas City admits he is a "lawyer, banker, and farmer." Representative Charles F. McKay of Knox county is listed as a "farmer-dentist". Representative Frank L. Smiley of Livingston couny, an underaker, is succeeded on the roll call by the Rev. W. O. Dixon, representing McDonald county.

Representative Geo. W. Moothart of St. Francois county lists himself as "president of a business college;" and Representative Augustus J. Earl of Vernon county admits he is "retired;" while Representative James McMahan of Webster county contends that he is "merchant, farmer, banker."

In addition, there are six editors three bankers, three clerks, five insurance men, a baker, two school teachers, an accountant, a railroad man, a lumberman, a manufacturer, an implement and grain dealer, an asbestos worker and a painter and decorator.

INCREASE REVENUE

SENATE HAS PROBLEM OF TAXES TO MEET U. S. DEFICIT.

MUST PAY $370,000,000

Committee Will Undertake Task Soon After Congress Reconvenes Next Week—Will Issue Bonds.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Issuance of $125,000,000 of Panama canal bonds, increased income and state taxes, additional taxes on whisky, beer, cigars, and bottled waters, and higher tariff duties on coffee and tea are proposed in a tentative program to be considered by the house ways and means committee, when it begins framing revenue legislation to meet the prospective deficit of $370,000,000 at the end of the next fiscal year.

The committee will undertake its task soon after congress reconvenes next week. Members in direct charge of drafting the legislation already have conferred with Secretary McAdoo and other administration officials and the problem has been given serious attention by President Wilson himself. There are intimations that the president may decide to address congress soon to outline how he thinks the necessary money could be raised.

Wilson Opposes Bond Issue.

The president is understood to oppose bond issues except for extraordinary emergencies. To square with this view, Democratic leaders in the house propose to put the issue of Panama canal bonds directly upon the military expenditures on account of Mexico.

Speaker Clark believes that an extra session will be necessary to consider revenue measures unless it is possible to meet the deficit by a bond issue and income tax increases. Other Democrats hope, however, that the problem can be solved by pressing through at the short session a complete program, including an omnibus revenue bill in addition to provision for the bond issue and increase the income tax. Some of the tax increases proposed are $1.25 instead of $1.10 per gallon on whisky; $2.00 instead of $1.70 per barrel on beer, and a sufficient increase on cigarettes to bring in from $15,000,000 to $18,000,000.

PROGRAM AT PICKERING

Christian Church Will Hold Annual Business Meeting With Social Session At the Church.

The annual business meeting of the Pickering Christian church will be held next Sunday, and all of the members are requested to be present. The following program will be given:

10 a. m. Bible School.

11 a. m. Preaching service, E. H. Hutchison. Subject of sermon, "A Call to Activity," the pastor.

12 m. Lunch served in the church building.

2 p. m. Business session.

Reports of clerk, treasurer (pastor) Bible school, C. W. B. M., C. E. Society, and Ladies' Aid society.

Short talks by the members as follows: "The Wisdom of a Definite Aim," Mrs. C. R. Harman; "What the Bible School Stands For," C. R. Harman; "Methods of Campaign From the Annual Meeting Until Easter," Mrs. E. H. Hutchison; "The Weariness of Indefinite and Uncertain Activities," H. M. Lincoln; "The Year in Prospect," O. G. Null.

The Christian church at Pickering has grown in membership and in influence during the last year and especially since the beginning of the ministry of the Rev. E. H. Hutchison, who is a real "live wire" and who is out for anything that will strengthen the church and bring about unity among the members.

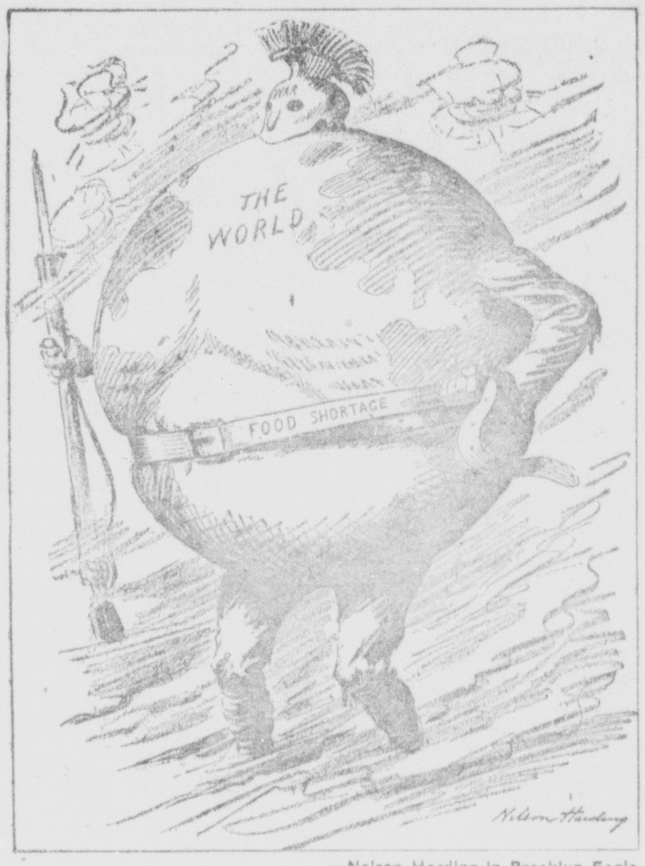
MRS. DICK STRONG DIES.

Hopkins Woman Succumbs to Long Illness — Funeral Today.

Mrs. Dick Strong died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Riley Thompson of Hopkins, this morning following a long illness. Funeral services were held from the family residence at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the Methodist church, the Rev. D. W. Griffith of Hopkins officiating. Burial was in the Hopkins cemetery.

Miss Marie Cook leaves tomorrow evening for Plattsburg, Mo., to visit Miss Mary Rose Brady.

TIGHTENING THE BELT.



—Nelson Harding in Brooklyn Eagle.

B. R. MARTIN NEAR DEATH

Little Hope Entertained For Maryville Man In St. Augustine Hospital At Chicago.

B. R. Martin, who is in the St. Augustine hospital in Chicago, is in a very critical condition according to a dispatch received last evening by Dr. F. M. Martin. There is very little hope for his recovery. Dr. Vilas Martin and his mother, Mrs. F. M. Martin, of this city, left for Chicago Tuesday evening to be at Mr. Martin's bedside. Mr. Martin was still conscious when his mother and brother visited him. His two children, Miss Pauline Martin and Marion Martin, who are attending school in the East, were sent for and arrived in Chicago last night.

Mr. Martin has been in ill health for several months. He visited his parents here during Thanksgiving and was in very good health then. He went back to Chicago for an operation and expected to spend the Christmas vacation also in Maryville, but his condition changed to the worse.

ALLIES' REPLY IS COMING

Will Be Received By Diplomatic Representatives Within Forty-Eight Hours—Negative Tone.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Dec. 28.—That the allies' reply to Wilson's note will be handed to the American diplomatic corps within forty-eight hours is the belief expressed today. The answer is expected to be exactly in line with Lloyd-George's speech and will be negative in tone.

Guests of Miss Bower.

Misses Dprothy Gunsolley, Helen, Hattie and Edna Farr of Glenwood, Ia., are the house guests of Miss Lola Bower. The girls, who are former schoolmates of Miss Bower, arrived last night and will spend a few days in Maryville.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued for Harry Rynard and Ruby Goodwin, both of Maryville, today. The couple was married by Judge W. H. Conn of the probate court.

Mrs. John Murrin, who has been seriously ill at her home on East Sixth street is much improved at this time.

Rev. Father Odilo and the sisters of the St. Mary's school went to Clyde today to visit at the convent.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

NEW CAPITOL ABOUT READY

$3,500,000 Building Will Be Dedicated July 4, 1917 — Gardner Will Be Inaugurated There.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 28.—E. W. Stephens, chairman of the State Capitol Commission, announced today that the new $3,500,000 State Capitol would be dedicated July 4, 1917.

The first floor is now almost ready for occupancy. The second floor, where all the executive officers are to have their offices, will be ready by January 1, the legislative chambers and other offices by March 1, and the state stairs, legislative library and the dome.

The contractor will turn over to Governor Major on January 1 a suite of offices designed for the public service commission for his use and the use of the governor-elect until the executive offices on the second floor are ready. The Legislature must use the temporary quarters, as its halls cannot be completed.

The inauguration of the Governor will be held in the west museum on the ground and first floor. Here also he will deliver his address before the joint assembly, January 8. This will easily accommodate 3,000 persons. Not half this number could be admitted into the legislative chamber of the temporary capitol.

IT WAS A "QUIET" WEDDING

Blaine Mattson of Conception Junction and Miss Flora Cox of Denver Married Without A Word.

If a wedding ceremony in which the participants do not utter a word can consistently be called a "quiet" wedding, we can report a quiet wedding solemnized in town last week. The contracting parties were Blaine Mattson, of Conception Junction, and Miss Flora Cox, of Denver. Both of the young people are deaf mutes and instead of "speaking the words" which made them husband and wife as is the conventional way to do, they wrote the words which united them in marriage. The ceremony was written and performed by Squire R. M. McCammon in the office of the circuit clerk Tuesday afternoon. Although the bridal couple could not tell audibly how they loved one another, they were able to show it in no unmistakable signs. They are both bright, intelligent young people, but have the misfortune of having neither hearing or speech.—Albany Ledger.

Phil Growney of Conception is in Maryville on business today.

Feature To-Night, 5 reels Feature

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SESSUE HAYAKAWA, The Greatest Japanese Actor, in

'Alien Souls'

A Story of People of Opposite Races

5c and 10c. **EMPIRE THEATRE** 5c and 10c.

CARRANZA REPLIES

CABRERA HANDS LEADER'S ANSWER TO SECRETARY LANE.

NO COMMENT IS MADE

Carranza Recalls Arredondo, Who Will Be Succeeded By Ramon Denegri — Villa Active.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Carranza's reply was handed to Secretary Lane by Cabrera this afternoon. No comment was made.

Washington, Dec. 28.—The administration today faced the most serious situation in regard to Mexico that it has confronted since the American troops were ordered across the border in pursuit of Villa.

Information reached here today that Carranza has refused to accept the agreement reached by the joint commission. The next step of the administration will be decided this week. It was learned from three members of the American section of the commission that the most probable course of action will be the recognition of Villa as a revolutionary leader instead of a bandit.

Luis Cabrera is expected to present Carranza's answer to the demands of the administration that the protocol be accepted today.

Skirmish With Mexicans.

El Paso, Dec. 28.—The American sentries posted on the south side of the Rio Grande river hastily threw up entrenchments early today, following an exchange of shots with a band of Mexicans. The Mexicans were preparing to cross to make an attack, but machine gun volleys sent across the river by the Third Kentucky guardsmen silenced the Mexicans, however, and there was no further skirmishing.

Arredondo Is Re-called.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Confirmation that Carranza has recalled Arredondo was received in Merican circles today. Specific denial however, was made that this action in any way connected with Carranza's refusal to sign the protocol. The state department has not yet been officially notified of the contemplated action. Arredondo will be succeeded by Ramon Denegri, now Mexican consul at San Francisco.

CONTROL TO ACID TEST

Wilson's Influence Over Congress Will Be Fully Tried By Railroad Legislation Program.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Wilson's control over congress never yet broken, will be put to acid test by his railroad legislation program. Undaunted by bitter opposition to organized labor, President Wilson is preparing to take command and force through a so-called compulsory arbitration bill before March 4. The labor leaders are preparing for a bitter fight.

TO ATTEND SILVER JUBILEE.

E. G. Orear, Grand Counselor of the U. T. C., Will Make Address at St. Louis Lodge.

E. G. Orear will leave tomorrow night for St. Louis to attend the silver jubilee celebration of the U. C. T. of that city. Mr. Orear is grand counselor of the state and is on the program for an address.

Complains of Poaching.

J. S. Gray, living northeast of Maryville, is complaining against the hunters who trespass on his premises. In the last week he has lost two steers and one hog, which were shot through the carelessness of hunters. He has been compelled to threaten prosecution to any persons caught hunting on his farms.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Friday; colder tonight and southeast portion Friday.

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FOR THE SAKE OF HER SON

Mother Remembers One Marine In Haiti In Honor of Boy Who Was Drowned.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 28.—In remembrance of her son who was drowned twenty-one years ago while heroically trying to save the life of a comrade, Mrs. M. A. Ommanney of Stanford University, Calif., has written to the commandant of the United States Marine Corps, enclosing a contribution for the purpose of sending a little Christmas remembrance to some marine serving his country in Haiti. With the letter was a brief homily to be sent to the recipient of the gift, filled with motherly sentiment and advice, and an offer to adopt the Marine as her own son, should he be without a mother.

Major General Barnett was so impressed with the thoughtful sympathy expressed by Mrs. Ommanney in her letter, that he has considered it worthy of being brought to the attention of both officers and men of the United States Marines, serving in all parts of the world.

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Fancy Muir Evaporated Peaches, 2 pounds 25c
3 pkgs. Frontier Pancake Flour .. 25c
25c Tone's Blue Band Coffee 20c
40c quality Imperial Tea, lb 30c
2 cans Yellow Free Peaches 25c
3 cans No. 2 size Tomatoes 25c
2 cans Frontier Brand Sifted Peas 25c
Large can Frontier Pumpkin 10c
Large can Frontier Hominy 10c
Gal. can Frontier Yellow Free Peaches 45c
Gal. can Blackberries 50c
Gal. can Black Raspberries 55c
Frontier Catsup, bottle 10c
2 large Grape Fruit 15c
Sour Pickles, per doz. 10c
Dill Pickles, 3 for 5c
2 Frames Home Made Honey 25c

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You Have Only Two More Days

In which to get that saving on Nodaway County's leading paper, THE DEMOCRAT-FORUM.

After January 1 the new rates will go into effect. All new subscriptions paid in advance will be entitled to the present rates just until January 1 only. This applies to the county subscribers only.

Please remember that Saturday is the last day of the old rate.

A CONVICT'S WORD

Lewis Returns to Sing Sing Ahead of Time.

WENT TO WIFE'S FUNERAL.

Physician Declares That Prisoner Would Have Come Back Even if No Guard Had Been Sent Along With Him—Convicts Decide to Give New Warden a Chance.

Ossining, N. Y.—As a graphic illustration of the determination of the prisoners in Sing Sing to give a square deal to William H. Moyer, the new warden, Abe Lewis, a convict who had been granted permission by Governor Whitman to attend, with a guard, the funeral of his wife in Brooklyn, returned to the prison twelve hours ahead of time.

When Lewis learned that Mr. Moyer was to begin his work as warden he decided to come back immediately to demonstrate to the new warden that the prisoners could be safely trusted with privileges. Lewis is regarded as one of the most reliable prisoners. He has spent seven years in Sing Sing.

With only twenty months more to serve the convict learned that his wife, who had stuck by him through everything, had died suddenly. Their three young children were left without any one to care for them. The news nearly prostrated the prisoner. He implored Calvin Derrick, the acting warden, to let him go to Brooklyn to see the face of his wife once more and to arrange for the care of his children.

Permission from Governor Whitman was obtained by telegraph, and Lewis and a guard started for New York. In Brooklyn Lewis learned that Mr. Moyer surely was to assume the wardenship. After making hasty arrangements Lewis hurried back to the prison. The convict turned up there unexpectedly, although the governor had granted him permission to stay overnight.

"He would have come back just the same even if no guard had been sent along with him," commented Dr. Barry, the prison physician.

The convicts are frankly relieved now that the "permanent" warden has taken charge of the prison. Life for them within the last year has just been one warden after another. With every succession to office came changes in discipline, modification of privileges and doubt and mistrust on the part of the prisoners.

"I'm glad he's come at last," said one of the leaders of the prisoners. "We've been on tenterhooks every time a new man came in, and we've been on the anxious seat every time a man went out. Now we can settle down to a regular life.

"We're going to give the new warden a chance to show how he stands. He's promised to meet us halfway, and we'll do our share. Nobody is going to start anything inside until he has a chance to make good his word."

FORTUNE IN ELOPEMENT.

Father Will Inherit Through Publicity That Was Brought About.

San Francisco, Cal.—Through publicity attending the wrecked romance of their eighteen-year-old daughter, Signe, the Gerstad family of Bellingham, Wash., it was said here, is about to come into a fortune.

The girl recently became a temporary ward of the police through the arrest of D. M. Delmas, with whom she had eloped on his promise to marry her. After being arrested on a bad check charge Delmas was identified as an escaped convict from a penitentiary in Texas, where he had wrecked a bank. The girl was sent home.

Attorney Sydney P. Robertson of this city told recently of having received a letter from a firm of Chicago attorneys asking for the address of Hilgar Gerstad, the girl's father, sought for years as heir to an estate in Sweden. The Chicago attorneys, the letter said, had read of the girl's escapade in a Chicago paper.

BOY PROVES BEST FARMER.

Montclair Lad Makes Plot of 20 by 100 Feet Pay $56.

Montclair, N. J.—Robert Hickie, a sixteen-year-old Montclair boy, raised vegetables worth $56 on a plot of ground 20 by 100 feet assigned him last spring by the Montclair community gardens committee. His was the most productive and attractive of the fifty-six gardens cultivated during the past season, Supervisor George Huttenlock reported to President Dallas Flannagan.

Two tracts of land were at the disposal of the community gardens committee, and by cultivating the vacant lots the gardeners made productive 115,850 square feet of land that otherwise would have yielded nothing.

The gardens furnished vegetables to 287 persons during the growing season, besides quantities of celery, carrots and cabbage for winter consumption.

Hen Gobbles Pearl.

Portland, Ore.—Mrs. Lettie Trapp of this city has a valued pet hen named Clarice. The other day as Mrs. Trapp was feeding her fowls Clarice leaped affectionately up to her shoulder, spied a valuable pearl in Mrs. Trapp's earring, gobbled it and leaped down again gulping. Mrs. Trapp screamed, first with pain as the pearl was wrenched away and then with horror at her loss. She caught Clarice and imprisoned her, but could not make up her mind to have the pet dispatched so that the jewel could be recovered.

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CHURCH HISTORY STUDY

New York Member Advocates $100,000 Endowment Fund To Stimulate the New Scholarship.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Dec. 28.—Establishment of an endowment fund of $100,000 to stimulate scholarship in church history in this country was advocated by the Rev. O. H. Penkoke, executive secretary of the New York reformation quadrie centenary, at the annual meeting of the American Society of Church History here yesterday.

Lack of knowledge of church history, he said, was responsible for many of the "fantastic panaceas offered from American pulpits."

"The universities offer little assistance," added the Rev. Mr. Pannkoke. "They are secular. Many of them are avowedly agnostic, and the result of this agnosticism is seen in the changing of terms in church history to make them fit certain intellectual bias. I refer to Prostestant 'revolt' for reformation."

Pauline and Robert Pliss are ill at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Pliss.

The Rev. R. J. Rutt, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Corning, Ia., is a guest at the home of Dr. A. N. Gray.

Party for Their Chef.

The Linville Hotel proprietor and wife gave their honored chef, John Cooke, a vacation party at the home of Mrs. Cooke, on West Fifth street. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Reeves and Lena Francis Ernest, Mrs. Other and Nell Kissinger, Ida Holt, Roy Kirkpatrick, Arthur Smith, Orval Earnest, Tom Earnest, and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mitchell.

J. A. Kavanaugh of Graham received as a gift a fine Airdale dog from Simeron, N. M., where he was visiting and buying cattle last year.

Fred Kroetch of Conception is in Maryville today on business.

Notice of Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the regular Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Standard Poland-China Record association of Maryville, Missouri, will be held in the office of the association in Maryville, Missouri, on Wednesday, January 3, 1917 at 9:00 a. m., for the purpose of electing a president, one vice-president from each state represented, and three directors for the term of three years, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting.

Done at Maryville, Missouri, this 14th day of December, 1916.

Attest: H. B. Walter, Pres.
Ray Davis, Sec.

FOR FEDERAL PAPER MILL

Congressional Committee Urges Erection of Plant to Supply Print Needs of the Government.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Erection of a government pulp and paper mill to assure a paper supply at reasonable prices was recommended to the joint congressional committee on printing today by the committee which annually draws specifications for government paper.

The government uses approximately 30,000,000 pounds of print paper a year, which is sufficient to absorb the output of a fifty-ton mill.

The report says water power and extensive forests and mineral deposits to supply such a mill can be found on many government reservations. The house committee on printing has also recommended a government mill.

Charles D. Lane of Burlington Junction was appointed curator of the estate of Cleo H. Lane, a minor, by Probate Judge Conn yesterday.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Don't wait longer, but see our line of Good Warm

Misses', Ladies' and Children's
Coats at Big Bargains

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GIRL CONDUCTORS

Twelve Hundred Are Now Employed In London.

THEIR WORK IS HEALTHFUL.

Benefit In Physique and Complexion by Open Air Life—All Under Care of Lady Doctor—Their Average Earnings Run to About $10 a Week, Every Class Represented.

London.—Twelve hundred girls are employed as London bus conductors, and more are wanted. All sorts of inducements are offered to them, including the assurance that the work is healthy and even patriotic.

The manager of the London General Omnibus company says:

"We have had to contradict several reports that the girls on our busses are unable to stand the strain of the work and that in consequence they are leaving our employ.

"Every week we put on about eighty new conductresses and would increase

GIRL BUS CONDUCTOR.

the number if we could. We can deal with hundrds more at once.

"Each pupil receives not only free tuition for a period of two or three weeks, but is paid 50 cents a day for her time. After they have qualified the average earnings run to about $10 a week.

"There is no abnormal sickness among the girls. They like the work and benefit in physique and complexion by the open air life. They are all under the care of a lady doctor.

"Since March we have interviewed 16,000 applicants and are very careful in our selection. Among our ranks almost every class is represented. Quite 10 per cent of the girls have never worked before and take up the work from purely patriotic motives. There is not the slightest reason to suppose that they will be unable to stand the work during the winter, and 'stair work' is not so trying as the public imagines."

WANTS NOISELESS ENGINES.

Hissing Locomotives Disturb Rest In Oakland, Pa.

Pittsburgh.—Oakland, the acropolis of Pittsburgh, with its great halls of art and learning, is marred by a nuisance worse by far than the venders whose presence desecrated the Coliseum in Rome or the Rialto bridge in Venice, according to members of the Oakland board of trade. This nuisance is declared to be the night long and day long hissing and fuming of locomotives. This, John Dimling, a member of the board, pointed out, is not only detrimental to Oakland as a center of art, but it robs mortals, both artists and business men, of their sleep.

Mr. Dimling in an impassioned speech told of locomotives, huge monsters, which seemed to take a demoniacal delight in standing for hours spouting infernal fumes and hissing fiendishly through their pop valves. Repeated protests to the railroad company, he said, were of no avail. A committee was directed to ask the courts to grant an injunction against the railroad company similar to the one granted some years ago by the supreme court to a Junction Hollow resident now dead.

GIRL, FOLLOWING FASHION, CHARGED WITH INSANITY

Kansas City.—"If all young women followed the dictates of fashion to the letter there would be few out of the asylum," was the way a sanity commission put it when it ordered the liberation of Margaret Wagner, seventeen years old, who was held on complaint of her mother. The latter thought the girl insane because, despite cold weather, she wore decollete gowns and short skirts. The daughter's defense was, "All the other girls dress that way."

TO LIE NEAR HER FIVE HUSBANDS IS LAST WISH

Mrs. Van Sickle Had Personally Erected Tombstones to Them.

La Crosse, Wis.—To be buried in her own private cemetery in a corner of her farm near the graves of her five husbands was the last wish of Mrs. Emma C. Van Sickle, who died recently.

Over the graves of her husbands are tombstones erected by the wife's own hands. One has this verse inscribed upon it:

Clintie, my heart clings to thee, love.
In heaven I hope to meet above.
You was ever kind and true to me.
So was I to you. Emma C.

Another reads:

"Peter, died Jan. 12, 1854, aged fifty-three years. By Emma."

The other three stones are small and the inscriptions brief. One reads "D. C. V.," another "P. D. C." and the third "P. E."

WAR DRIVES FOREIGN THIEVES TO AMERICA

Detectives Expect Big Haul In Jewelry at Some Society Event This Winter.

Washington.—If you happen to own a jewel collection and your taste runs toward wearing it in public, you had better hire a bodyguard this winter. The United States is overrun with European crooks, some of them the smoothest thieves on the continent.

Private detective and police agencies in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Washington, Chicago and other big centers are looking forward to one of the most active years in the last decade. It's all on account of the European war, which has made theft hardly worth while on a big scale across the water.

In Washington there's a detective agency which specializes in the guarding of guests and jewelry at big social functions. The business of this agency is not confined to events at the capital, for private detectives of faultless manner and speech are sent out on jobs as far west as Chicago by this same agency.

One man who has devoted years of experience and his organization of sleuths to the protection of social leaders and their guests recently returned from a trip that extended north to Boston and west to the Mississippi.

"It's going to be a big year for agencies like ours," he said. "Within the past twelve months Europe has been sending over some of the cleverest jewel thieves this country has ever seen, and they have only come here when it was clear that robbery as a profession was up against hard times abroad until the war was over."

INHERITANCE AFTER YEARS.

Rover Never In One Place Long Enough to Apply For It.

St. Louis.—George Weise, a former sailor and of an admitted roving disposition, recently received $390.25 from the local free legal aid bureau, representing his share of the estate of an uncle who died in Adrian, Mich., eighteen years ago.

Weise applied to the bureau several days ago and asked Matthew Conckling, assistant superintendent, to assist him in getting his inheritance. He explained that he had never applied for it because since the death of his uncle he had not been long enough in one place to take the time to apply for his share.

Conckling wrote to Adrian and in reply to his letter received one from E. A. Cole, present owner of the property of Weise's uncle, Edward Bauer, containing the money due Weise and a quit claim deed to the property for the latter's signature.

DRIVES MILES FOR MAIL.

Farmer Will Not Allow Rural Carrier to Bring It.

Smith Center, Kan.—Frank Nichols lives on route No. 5 out of this city. For years Nichols has stubbornly refused to have his mail come by carrier, although a route runs right by his door.

Each Saturday he makes the eleven mile drive from home and gets his mail out of the postoffice here.

He insists the carrier system is an annecessary expense to the government and that it is putting false and injurious notions into the rising generations on the farms.

2,000,000 ORANGES TOO RIPE.

Shipments Valued at $50,000 Are Destroyed In Week.

New York.—Two million oranges, much too ripe for consumption, were destroyed in New York by a squad under the supervision of Lucius P. Brown, head of the bureau of foods and drugs of the department of health.

The oranges were taken from shipping and railroad terminals. They aggregated about 250 tons and were mostly from Porto Rico and Jamaica. The loss to the shippers was about $50,000.

Wed at Stack's High Top.

Florence, Colo.—Bessie Norton, aged twenty-one, and Joseph Bowling, twenty-six years old, were married on top of a 206 foot concrete smokestack in an oil plant here recently. Practically the entire city witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. W. I. Kidd.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD

Hanamo phone 42; Farmers phone 114

Dance Tomorrow Night.

The Hum Drums will entertain the Bridgets and a few out-of-town guests with a dance tomorrow evening.

Postpone Reception.

On account of the absence of the pastor, the Rev. T. H. Wiles, the reception planned by the people of the Baptist church in his honor, has been indefinitely postponed.

To Entertain, Saturday Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker will entertain the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club and a few others at her home on West Third street Saturday evening.

Entertain at 6 O'clock Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce and daughter, Miss Dorothy, entertained last night at 6 o'clock dinner the following guests: Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wilfley and George Robb Ellison.

Entertained at Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hansen entertained at Christmas dinner the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Will Whitley of Seattle, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hansen and Beatrice and Wilhelmina Hansen.

Lyles Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lyle entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Christmas day the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Lyle and daughter, Estelline, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lyle and son, Virgil, Aubrey, Omar and Miss Vivian Lyle.

Sunday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lett living east of Pickering gave a dinner Sunday. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. George David, Mrs. Mary House, and Miss Pearl Berry, Florence and Doris David, Leland David, Alva and Forrest Lett, and the host and hostess.

Guests at Middleton's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton entertained at dinner Christmas day the following: Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kennedy and little daughter, Aileen Elma, of North English, Ia., Miss Ladean Holliday, Miss Ada Lee, Miss Virginia Middleton, Charles Corl, Otho Holliday and Luther Middleton.

Mrs. May Denny, Married.

Mrs. May Denny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clark, and Elmer Leiser were married at Albany last Friday. They are spending the week in Coin, Ia., and will arrive in Maryville about Sunday. Mr. Leiser travels for an old line insurance company.

Peery's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Peery entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night at their home on West Third street in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Smith, who leave soon for McCook, Nebr., where they will make their home. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Misses Louise and Alice Peery and the host and hostess.

For Miss Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wolfert will entertain with a bridge party tonight in honor of Miss Carrie Margaret Baker. Four tables will be arranged for the players. Throughout the house red and green, the Christmas colors will be used. Refreshments will be served by the hostess.

Christmas Dinner at Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Myers entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Christmas day at their country home south of Maryville the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Converse and daughter, Murrin and Miss Mary Herwick.

Smiths Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of near Hopkins entertained at a dinner party on Christmas day in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Moon of St. Joseph. Additional guests were: Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Moon, of Maryville; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moon and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bratcher and children of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coleman and son of Hopkins.

Entertained at Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Dempsey entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. D. Donahue, Mrs. E. J. Dempsey, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse E. Hull, Earl Charles and daughter, Mary Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sturm, Misses Anna, Nona, and Estella Donahue, Gertrude Sturm, Vilas, Iola, and Lois Hull, Edwin Sturm, Will Donahue, Francis Truman Dempsey.

Neals Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Neal entertained at 12 o'clock dinner on Christmas day at their home, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Neal of Sac City, Ia., who were recently married. Additional guests were: Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Wiles and daughter, Juanita, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Neal, Albert Gorton and son, Paul, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bebout and daughter Ruth, Mrs. Mary Trueblood, Roy and Earnest Neal.

Sumner Collins Married.

Sumner Collins, a former Maryville boy and son of William Collins of this city, was married Christmas day at Omaha to Miss Minnie Blohm. The wedding was witnessed by a few relatives of the groom and the immediate friends of the bride. The Rev. C. E. Cobbey, pastor of the First Christian church, performed the ceremony, using the ring service. Ray Collins, Jr., of Des Moines, nephew of the groom, being ring bearer. Mrs. E. R. Zabriskie furnished the music. The young couple will make their home at Omaha at 2610 Harvey street.

Fanning's Have Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fanning, northeast of Maryville, entertained at a Christmas dinner the following: Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McDermit, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fanning and Homer Stalling of Barnard, Mrs. Grace Fogan, of Maryville, Mrs. Nussbaum of Fort Worth, Tex., Misses Mattie and Mildred Fanning, Marie McDermit, Pearline and Bertha Fanning, Bert Fanning, Thomas Fanning, Paul McDermit, Ed. Fanning of Ryder, N. D., Roy and Orville Fanning.

The twenty-five pound fruit cake was baked in Fort Worth, Tex., by Mrs. Nussbaum's husband.

Strickler-Barrett Wedding.

Miss Eula Strickler, a daughter of Ed. Strickler and John Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett were married at 7 o'clock yesterday evening at the North Methodist parsonage in Skidmore. The Rev. Mr. Sauceman performed the ceremony. After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Barrett went to their home on a farm west of Skidmore.

Guest at Sewell Home.

Mrs. Nora Sewell of Skidmore entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Christmas evening the following guests: Mrs. Mildred Manning of Kansas City, Miss Francis Montgomery, Neal Montgomery, Byron Owen and Harry Sewell. Afterwards the dinner guests and the additional guests, Florence and Ada Foster, Opal Colwell, Nell Pordan, Rollo Howden, Harold Hutt, Douglas Haynes, and Marion Owen, were entertained at a dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Montgomery.

Parnell Art Club Entertains.

The Parnell Art club entertained with a party at the home of Mrs. J. P. LaFavor last night. The guests spent the evening playing somerset and enjoying a number of stunts put on by the members of the club. The refreshments were served cafeteria style.

The out-of-town guests were: Mrs. J. H. Suter, and Mrs. Oscar Herndon of Kansas City. The entertaining committee consisted of Mrs. J. H. Hutchison, Mrs. B. A. Jones, Mrs. Wallace Kennedy and Mrs. J. F. LaFavor.

West End Club Entertained.

Paul and Ruth Miller entertained the members of the West End club at a skating party last night at the Sisson pond. Miss Dora Carpenter and Jesse Miller, Jr., were chaperones. On returning to the Miller home the guests were served with dainty refreshments, after which games were played. Those present were: Misses Mary and Ora Mae Condon, Mabel Cook, Margaret Remus, Alice Peery, Mildred Shinabargar, Mary Margaret Richey, Ruth Miller and Paul Pickens, Chilton Robinson, Vilas Awalt, Forrest Hutchison, Russell Allen, Ray Hull, Dean Partridge and Paul Miller. Miss Marie Cloud of Maryville, and Earl Miller of Hopkins were the guests of the club.

Lend A Hand Circle.

The Lend A Hand Circle and their friends gave one of their members, Mrs. Mary Kost Riffle, a very pleasant surprise on her birthday, December 24. They brought well-filled baskets and a most generous dinner was served. The guests were: Mrs. Marietta Slawson, Miss Gertrude Slawson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Slawson and daughter, Bessie Lee, Mary Pryor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Broyles, Miss Kathryn Broyles, Mabel Riffle, Charlie Slawson, Morris Riffle. This circle works for the interest of the orphan children at the Sheltering Arms Home at St. Joseph, and by this means, much is accomplished, not only for the cause, but our own lives are broadened and the pleasure of helping those who are helping is ours.

Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Moore, living east of Pickering, gave a Christmas dinner Monday. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. James Lett, Mrs. Mary House of Bolcrow, Dennis Leech, Horace Williams, Clayton Spiers, Dale and Basil Wiley, Alva and Forrest Lett, Doyle Moore, Eddie Moore and the host and hostess.

Dinner at Mutz Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mutz entertained today at 12 o'clock dinner at their country home south of Maryville. Their guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mutz, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Mutz, and two children, Beulah and Delberta, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ambrose, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mutz, and baby daughter, Virginia, Miss Jenette Mutz of Chugwater, Wyo., Miss Lou Mutz of Maryville and John Mutz.

Zimmerman's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl E. Zimmerman living west of Maryville, entertained at Christmas dinner the following persons: The Rev. and Mrs. Henry Sawyers of Savannah, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Neff, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sawyers, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Scott, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sawyers, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gault, Misses Ola Zimmerman, Lizzie Sawyers, Clara Neff, Mary Sawyers, Eleanor Agnes Sawyers, Gertrude and Beulah Sawyers; Ross Scott, Walter Scott, Clyde Sawyers, George Neff, Harold Sawyers, Henry Sawyers, Ray Zimmerman and Emerson Neff.

150 Guests Attend Phares-Bellows Party.

Dominoes and euchre were the games played at the party given yesterday afternoon at the Elks club for 150 guests by Mrs. Will Phares and Mrs. Harold Bellows. Christmas decorations were used in the large room where the guests played. Each table was centered with a beautiful potted plant and the winner of high score at each table was presented with the plant at the close of the games. Luncheon was served, carrying out the Christmas color scheme.

Assisting the hostesses were: Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend, Mrs. Will Montgomery, Mrs. Cleve Funk, Miss Ruth Montgomery, Mrs. Oliver Bovard, Mrs. Will Wallis, Jr., Misses Anna Baumm, Ruth Rouillard and Dorothy Pierce. The out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Roy Wolfers of Pickering; Mrs. Court Toel of Little Rock, Ark.; Mrs. Lafe Allender of Atlantic, Ia.; Mrs. Roland Allender of Boone, Ia.

Smockley's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shockley were the host and hostess at a Christmas dinner and family reunion at their home southwest of Maryville. The house was beautifully decorated with bells and holly and in the parlor was a beautiful Christmas tree on which were presents for all. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Shockley and sons John and Glenn, Mrs. Clarence Charles and sons Lawrence and Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ramey and children, Ruth, Trueman, Opal and Nina Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Ves Moody and little daughter Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ramey of St. Joseph, and little Nina Lee Shockley.

Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Donnell of near Arkoe entertained at Christmas dinner at their home. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Grady, Misses Ella and Veronica O'Grady and Will O'Grady, Mrs. Sarah O'Donnell and Mr. Mendenhall.

Little Miss Brash, Hostess.

The little friends of Emma Adolphine Brash enjoyed a Christmas tree party at the home of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Lippman, on North Main street this afternoon. They played games for a few hours, and then were served with refreshments by Mrs. Lippman, assisted by Mrs. Marie Estella Brash and Mrs. Heller. At the close of the party each guest received a souvenir.

Those present were: Beatrice Behm, Evelyn Doffing, Julia Helen Stapler, Florence Farrell, Carrie Garten, Anna Latin, Josephine Latin, Pauline Mahoney, Mary Bagby, Beverly Dowling, Mary Ferritor, Augusta Heller, Clara Heller and Miss Anna Collins.

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You will eventually take the DEMOCRAT-FORUM anyway so why not send in your order before January 1 and take advantage of the old rates. After next Saturday the new rates will be in effect.

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A Forward Look

1917 stands ready to take the stage. The old year with its joys and heartaches will soon be but a memory.

For us it has been a good year. And with circumstances as they are we can well look forward to 1917 with cheer and optimism.

This is our sincere greeting to you—our customers and friends—may the New Year hold for all of you Happiness and Prosperity in abundant measure.

Nodaway Valley Bank
MARYVILLE, MO.

Santa Claus Banks Here.

NEWS FROM ALL Northwest Missouri

Though calloused to news of back-kicking automobile engines and wrists broken thereby, we shall have to give Bethany credit for offering something entirely new in this line. While winding a large talking machine the other day a Bethany woman had one hand badly lacerated, says the Republican, when the winding apparatus went wrong and turned backward with a vigorous rush.

Elevators jammed with corn and no cars to move it has been the condition perplexing the buyers at Fairfax and Craig, and the same complaint is heard in other localities.

A two-color Christmas cover encloses the 28-page holiday number of the DeKalb County Herald, and provides an appropriate introduction to the ably edited and attractively printed magazine number.

Work has begun on the boring of a new city well on the public square at Maysville. Though unsuccessful in a former attempt, Maysville boosters are prepared to push the enterprise to completion even if it becomes necessary to penetrate several hundred feet of earth.

Having been robbed of his watch at St. Joseph one night last August, a Craig man, J. H. Miles, was surprised when by the merest chance he discovered last week that the stolen property had been recovered by the St. Joseph police and that the thief already has served two months of a 3-year sentence in the state penitentiary for the crime. Of entirely negligible importance was the matter of returning the stolen property to its original owner.

Correspondents of the Bethany Republican are vieing with one another for the turkey-story honors of Harrison county. Now comes Pawnee with Mrs. Nancy Holloway, who sold 60 turkeys for $224.48. Mt. Moriah takes no less pride in the fact that Mrs. John Nickerson sold 60 turkeys for $200.56, and that from the 11th to the 14th of December the local buyer paid out $1,048.60 for turkeys.

For holiday guests a Unionville woman the other day opened a can of peaches which were picked from the trees in the nineteenth century. Though canned in 1899 these peaches were as fresh and full of flavor as if canned only last summer.

If one rabbit's foot is lucky, four should be even more powerful to bring good fortune and this seems to be the case if we are to believe the report lately published in the Moberly papers. A Wabash fireman daily noticed a rabbit in the same spot on his run and finally called the attention of the engineer to it. Then one day the rabbit was missing, but in the same spot appeared an object which looked like a large pocketbook. A stop at the nearest town and a short run on foot took the fireman to the spot and there, sure enough, was a pocketbook containing $1,700.00.

Agents of an Oklahoma oil company have been busy in Northwest Missouri lately. The Excelsior Springs Call reports a visit from one of the men who is concerned in laying a pipe line from the Cushing, Oklahoma, oil fields to Chicago. The line will cross the Missouri river at Lexington. Pumping stations will be forty miles apart.

A Clay county girl has become so proficient in driving the family automobile that her two younger brothers, moved by jealousy, frequently lock the garage and take the key to school with them.

Last spring the city of Liberty bought a Ford car for the use of the city engineer in sewer extension work. After a hard season's usage the car was sold at auction last week for $235.

The statue of General Alexander Doniphan to be erected at Richmond at a cost of $10,000 will be made by Frederick C. Hibbard, of Chicago, who is also the maker of the Shields statue at Carrollton, and the Mark Twain memorial at Hannibal.

Did you fall for that pretty young lady who was soliciting money to pay for an operation at the Mayo hospital? If you did you got stung like a lot of others. The aforementioned young lady traveled in her own motor car and found mighty good picking here and at Nashua—Smithville Herald.

The city marshal loaded up on "red licker" Saturday night and went on a "high lonesome." He indulged in no small amount of promiscuous shooting about town and then went home, where he literally shot up the house, smashed the furniture and dishes and made things so generally lively that his wife sought refuge with the neighbors. The council has fired him as a result of his actions.—Fifteen years ago (Thank the Lord!) in the Unionville Republican.

Writing back to the old home paper, (the Unionville Republican) a former Missouri boy, Clyde Quigley, says that until a year ago the Montana mining town where he teaches school had not lost a single resident by natural death—largely because of the superior marksmanship of the rival camps. The school which young Quigley teaches has heretofore included training in this gentle art of gun toting, as all the larger boys have been in the habit of carrying their guns to school with them and whenever a luckless mouse peered into the school room from the chinks of the logs the artillery was brought into play. That order is passing, however, though Quigley admits that the school is a hard one. He receives a salary commensurate with his task—$155 per month. Speaking of a salary, it takes 50 cents to buy a gallon of midnight oil in that town—sixty miles from a railroad.

Mound City markets, December 17, hogs $2.50 to $4.00, wheat 50c, corn 20c, potatoes 40c butter 15c, eggs 15c. —Thirty years ago in News-Jeffersonian. And yet a few of the editors seem to think an apology is necessary when they announce the inevitable increase in the prices of subscription and advertising.

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NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Owing to the continued scarcity and high cost of paper, all mail subscriptions, both in and out of Nodaway county, to The Daily Democrat-Forum will be raised to 25 cents per month on January first, 1917. Those who desire to pay six months or more in advance will be allowed to do so at the rate of $2.50 per year, provided all arrearages have been paid.

During the remainder of this month subscriptions within the county and outside of Maryville will be taken, if paid in advance, at the old rate of $2.00 and present subscribers may pay ahead for as long a time as they desire during this month. All subscriptions not paid in advance on January 1st will be charged and payable at the new rate from that time forward. Those who want to save, may do so by paying all arrearages and a year in advance during December.

The Democrat-Forum has delayed this advance as long as possible, hoping that there would be some relief in the paper situation. The cost of paper, during the past year, has increased more than a thousand dollars a car and is now not only higher than ever, but the supply is very limited. The price of The Weekly Democrat-Forum will remain at one dollar per year and is well worth the money.

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THIRD FIRE AT HOPKINS

Tom Applegate Loses $2,500 When A Defective Flue Causes A Fire at Home—Covered by Insurance.

Hopkins is having more than her share of fires just now, the fire gong last Saturday morning announcing the third fire within a week in this city. The Saturday morning fire was the home of Tom Applegate, the old J. P. Robb property in the east part of town. The fire originated from a defective flue, the flames spreading under the roof and when discovered had reached such headway that the entire roof was destroyed and but for the prompt assistance of the volunteer fire company, the residence would have been a complete loss. The family was at home but did not even smell the fire until the roof was ablaze. The loss occasioned by the water is considerable both to the house and furniture. It will be necessary to replaster the house and while the furniture was mostly saved it is in a bad condition. The house and contents is insured in the Continental company with T. W. Porter as agent, the house for $1,750 and the contents for $700. The loss is estimated all the way from $1,000 to $2,500 and an adjuster is expected here soon to make settlement. Mr. Applegate and family are staying with his brother, Wm. Applegate, until their home is again ready for occupancy. They wish to express their thanks to the kind friends and neighbors and especially to the fire laddies who did such valiant work in saving their home from complete destruction. All have been kind to them and they want the people to know they appreciate it, feeling now more than ever that a friend in need is a friend indeed.—Hopkins Journal.

STUDENTS AT 'DRY' MEETING

1,000 College Boys, Representing Many States, Convene To Discuss Prohibition Questions.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 28.—About a thousand college students, representing many states, gathered here today for the National Student Convention of the Inter-collegiate Prohibition Association. William J. Bryan will address the delegates tonight at a big banquet, arranged by a committee of dry Democrats.

The National Oratorical contest will be held Saturday night. The eight picked speakers are:

Earl W. Foster, of Georgetown College, Kentucky; Leonard V. Buschman, of the Southern Presbyterian Seminary, Kentucky; Bernard C. Clausen, of Colgate University, New York; De Loyd F. Wood, of Ohio Wesleyan University; Joshua B. Lee, of the University of Oklahoma; Harold R. Husted, of Sioux Falls College, South Dakota; Eugene U. Blalock, of the University of Southern California and Monta C. Smithson, of McMinnville College, Oregon.

Among those who will address the convention are Charles Stelzle, United States Senator William S. Kenyon, President Edwin Erle Sparks, of Pennsylvania State College; Dr. Ira Landrith, George Irving and Daniel A. Polling.

MARYVILLE ASTONISHED BY MERCHANT'S STORY.

A merchant relates the following: "For years I could not sleep without turning every hour. Whatever I ate caused gas and sourness. Also had stomach catarrh. ONE SPOONFUL buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka relieved me INSTANTLY." Because Adler-i-ka flushes the ENTIRE alimentary tract it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICKEST action of anything we ever sold. The Koch Pharmacy.

Woodmen Circle Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woodmen Circle will be held at the W. O. W. hall tomorrow night. A large attendance is desired.

The following people from Graham were Maryville visitors yesterday: Prince and Clyde Trapp, Walter Freytag, Mrs. A. C. Snyder, Mrs. A. L. Thornton and Clay Holliday.

Will Montgomery went to Omaha today on business.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, December 27th, 1916.

Men.

Burkes, H. H.,
Goldizen, Harley
Johnson, H. M.
Lane, W. E.
Martin, F. M.
McBride, N. D.
Siddens, T. A.
Winner, McKinley

Women.

Beck, Mrs. A. K.
Belmour, Mrs. Henrietta
Bennett, Mrs. G. T.
David, Miss Connelly
Flanning, Miss Jessie
Larson, Miss Bertie
McComb, Miss Hazel
Zimmerman, Miss Ola

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

Respectfully,
JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Guests at Baker's.

Allan Adams of Stuttgart, Ark., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Cast and two children, Mildred and Herschel, Jr., of North Pleasanton, Tex., are visiting at the home of Mr. Cast's mother, Mrs. Mary Cast and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. White.

John Haugler of Conception, who has been seriously ill at a hospital in St. Joseph, was taken to his home Saturday. His condition is unimproved.

Mrs. L. M. Phipps of Grant City is visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Mason and Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Phipps.

N. N. DePriest of Albany, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Perry, returned to his home today.

William Heller, Merle Beattie, John Behm and Dr. Jim Felix are among the ones on a hunting trip today.

Dr. Jesse Miller
Dentist.
Office in Nodaway Valley Bank Bldg.
SUCCESSOR TO F. M. BLAKE.

Dr. W. W. Turner
Osteopathic Physician
Treatment of acute and chronic Diseases.
Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
BOTH PHONES

Eyes Tested Free
Can we Help Your Eyes?
We certainly can if they need Glasses.
It matters not what the defect may be, if it is amenable to accurately adjusted Glasses we can correct it for you.
Come in at once and let us test your eyes.
H. L. Raines
JEWELER OPTICIAN
110 W. 3rd ST. JUST A STEP PAST MAIN
MARYVILLE, MO.

Westgate Hotel
At The Junction
On Main and Delaware at Ninth
Kansas City, Mo.
175 Rooms at $1.50 Every Room Has Private Bath

25 Rooms at $2.00 Every Room Has Outside Exposure
Absolutely Fireproof
Personally Managed by
JAMES KETNER

COLLECTING SPECIAL TAX

Capital Stock, Corporation Joint Stock Companies and Others Must Pay Taxes In January.

Collector E. M. Harber's office is quite busy now sending out blanks and preparing for the collection of special taxes as provided by Congress in act of September 8th, 1916, especially those taxes which are due and payable in January, 1917, and must be paid during that month or automatically severe penalties are incurred.

These taxes consist of capital stock, corporations, joint stock companies, associations or insurance companies organized for profit in the United States, and foreign corporations doing business in the United States and which have a capital stock of seventy-five thousand dollars or over. All such must make return and pay tax during the month of January, 1917.

Also brokers, pawn brokers, ship brokers, custom house brokers, circuses, public exhibitions, billiard and pool tables, bowling alleys, the same as under the act of October 22nd, 1914. The tax on manufacturers of tobacco, manufacturers of cigars, etc., is based upon the amount of annual sales; and tax on theatres and moving picture shows, in cities of over five thousand population remains as of act of October 22nd, 1914, however, theatres, moving picture shows, in cities or towns of five thousand or less population, one-half of the amount is required. All of the above taxes are collected for the period of six months ending June 30th, 1917. The law taxing retail dealers in cigars and tobacco, commercial brokers and commission merchants was repealed by the Act of September 8th, 1916, so that no tax is due on such after December 31st, 1916.

DON'T TAKE A CHANCE.

Maryville People Should Act in Time.

If you suffer from backache;
If you have headaches, dizzy spells;
If the kidney secretions are irregular,
Don't delay—likely your kidneys are sick.
Maryville people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.
Here's a Maryville woman's experience:
Mrs. J. Carter, 622 N. Walnut street, Maryville, says: "As well as in cases of others in my family, Doan's Kidney Pills have proven a successful medicine with me in removing congestion of the kidneys and stiffness in the back. Doan's Kidney Pills gave results in all cases that lead me to recommend them to others."
Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Carter had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Buyrnes and little son of Princeville, Ill., are visiting at the home of Mr. Buyrnes' sister, Mrs. A. K. Felix and family.

Boy for Akin's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Akin announce the birth of a boy born yesterday morning.

FARM FOR RENT—160 acres, 85 acres in cultivation for corn, good, strong corn land, balance blue grass pasture, well watered, 3½ miles northwest of Clyde. Apply R. J. Ellerman, Clyde, Mo. 28-Id4-25w*

CHICHESTER S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Always Reliable
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

WANTED

100 Mules
Four to eight years old—any size. Phone me, I will come and see them and buy or invoice them.
Jim Andy Ford
Farmers 161 Hanamo 31

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Dec. 28.—WHEAT—Dec., $1.73; May, $1.70⅛.

CORN—Dec., 88⅝c; May, 90¼c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Dec. 28.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500; market 10c higher; steers, $9.00 to $10.50; cows, $6.10 to $6.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; market 5c higher; top, $10.00; bulk, $9.80 to $10.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 6,000; market steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—CATTLE—Receipts, 12,000; market 10c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 42,000; market 5c higher; top, $10.70.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000; market steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Dec. 28.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; market slow.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; market strong; top, $11.55.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500; market steady.

Furnished daily by Frost & Spatts

Butter fat, per lb	34c
Eggs, per dozen	35c
Hides, per lb	14c
Springs, per lb	14c
Hens, per lb	14c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese, per lb	10c
Roosters and stags, per lb	7c

Kansas City Stock Letter.

Kansas City Stock Yards, Dec. 26, 1916.—Eight thousand cattle arrived for today's market, and sales were steady to 10 higher, trading active, top steers $10.25. Hog receipts were 16,500, market 15 to 20 higher, top $10.50. There were 7,500 sheep and prices were 10 higher, lambs $13.25, another new high record.

BEEF CATTLE

Missouri steers brought $10.25, and nine loads of pulp fed steers from Scottsbluff, Nebr., first here this season, sold at $10.10 and $10.20, around 1300 lbs. average. Strictly prime steers are quotable at $11 or a little better. Medium to good short fed steers bring $8.50 to $10.00. Range of prices on beef steers is considerably narrower than two or three weeks ago, to the advantage of the lower priced steers. Far Eastern grass steers have sold here in the last week at $7.25 to $8.40. Cows continue firm, best around $8, medium cows $6.50 to $7.75, cutters $5.75 to $6.25, canners $5.25 to $5.65. A string of Colorado cows sold today at $6.85, $7.10 and $7.85, canners $5.25.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS

Best grades have sold steady to strong right along, but there was some decline last week on medium and common stock steers and stock calves. The market was strong today on all kinds. Panhandle twos weighing 866 pounds, sold at $8.25, a strong price, and medium stock steers at $7.15 were called higher. Fleshy feeders find outlet around $8, and common stock steers may be had around $6.00.

HOGS

Packer competition was very strong today, choice heavy hogs selling to the packers up to $10.50. Medium weights sold largely at $10.15 to $10.45, lights $9.60 to $10.25, bulk of sales $9.90 to $10.45. Several lots of Arizona hogs were offered, most of them pig weights that went to stock hog buyers at $7 to $8.50, a few weighing 185 pounds at $9.35, and 150 pounds at $9.10. Average weights are increasing, but remain low, 185 pounds last week, which means a lack of good lard hogs. Eastern killers are buying many of their hogs at Western markets, a feature that helps keep up the prices, but packers engage in stronger competition among themselves than they have at any time in recent months.

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Prices continue to creep upward. Two lots of lambs sold at $13.25 today, a new high record, and numerous lots brought $13.15, equal to previous high record, paid last Friday. Yearlings are quotable up to $11.50, wethers $10, ewes $9.25, all these last three classes due for more money to put them in line with lamb prices. High prices for pelts is a factor in the strong markets, which makes it more secure than in former years. Feeding lambs are worth $11.50 to $12.00.

Your Taxes Are Due

A penalty will be attached unless they are paid by January 1st, 1917.

C. L. GANN,
Township Collector

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or inserted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

Miscellaneous.

FOR new or old work see me for special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co., south side square. Hanamo 270.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

LOST—On East Fourth street man's dark green hat from car. Return to this office. 26-28*

LOST—$19 bill either at Kesslers or between there and 515 North Fillmore. Return this office, receive reward. 26-28

LOST—Fur laprobe. Return to Diss-Cummins-Moberly jitney station. 28-30*

LOST—Ear rings, green and gold, between Mrs. Zook's and the Empire theatre. Finder please leave at this office. 27-29

LOST—Held fountain pen at high school or on road to school. Return to this office. Reward.

ANYONE caught hunting on either of my farms northeast of town will be prosecuted to the full extent. J. S. Gray. 28-30

YOUR LAST CHANCE—For people outside Maryville and inside the county to get the Democrat-Forum for $2.00 $2.50 after Jan. 1st. Send ME your order this week. Marion Smith, Democrat-Forum agent, box 48, Maryville. 26-28*

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Same as new piano, used only three months, standard make. Mrs. Edith Carey, Graham, Mo. 26-28*

FOR SALE—Jersey cow, will freshen in about ten days. Some S. C. R. I. Red pullets and one cockerel, 2 tons 3rd crop alfalfa hay. Call at house, 123 West Fifth. 26-28*

FARM FOR SALE—175 acres well improved farm in Macon county, Mo. This farm is 136 miles due east of St. Joseph and 70 miles west of Quincy, Ill., in a well settled community. 4 miles from 2 good railroad towns, one mile from a good school and five churches within a radius of 5 miles. 60 acres of this farm was original prairie and the country surrounding is not rough but gently rolling; good 7-room dwelling house, extra good barn, 2 living wells, 2 cisterns and farm well fenced, 2 rural mail routes daily. Can be bought right. J. J. Heifner, P. O. Box 262, Maryville, Mo. 27tf

Wanted.

GOOD MAN WANTED—For good paying proposition. Call at 315 West Seventh. Write Box 167. 27-1

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

WANTED—Woodsawing, $1.25 per hour for 5 hours or less. $1.00 per hour for over 5 hours. John Wagner, phone 16-21. 26-30*

WANTED TO RENT—Large modern rooms furnished for or without light housekeeping. 3625 Hanamo, 404 E. First street. 28-30

SITUATION WANTED—Housekeeper. References. Mrs. Edward Swarthout, 511 North 4th, St. Joseph, Mo. 26-28*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—6-room house adjoining Normal, ready any time. J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 4-tf

FOR RENT—House on Mulberry street, 1½ blocks south of Water tower. See S. M. Redfield. 28-30*

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room house South Market street, January 1. See Dr. K. C. Cummins. 28-30*

FOR RENT—6-room house with stable and other outbuildings, good cave and two good wells, in East Maryville. $10. W. C. Frank.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with or without board, close in. Mrs. Jennie Zook, 203 West Second street. Hanamo phone 4719. 19-2$*